Docket No.: 057810-0085



**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Customer Number: 20277

Masayuki HATA, et al. Confirmation Number: 1109

Application No.: 10/766,031 Group Art Unit: 2815

Allowed: August 10, 2006

Filed: January 29, 2004 Examiner: N. Drew Richards

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

## PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE (37 CFR 1.313)

Mail Stop Petition

P.O. B	ox 145		13-1450		
Sir:					
1.	Applio	icant hereby petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue.			
2.	The issue fee for this case				
	a.		has NOT been paid, but is due for payment on .		
	b.	$\boxtimes$	has been paid on March 2, 2007.		
	This application is scheduled to				
	$\boxtimes$	issue on May 8, 2007.			
		as pate	ent.		
3.	The reason for the request for withdrawal from issue is: 04/20/2007 YPOLITE1 00000055 500417 10766931				
	a.		there has been a mistake on the part of the Office. 130.00 DA		
	b.		there has been a violation of Section 1.56, or illegality in the application.		
	c.		one or more of the claims are unpatentable.		

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	d.	for purposes of declaring an interference.		
	e.	other - Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Information		
Disclosure Statement citing new documents				
4.	The pe	petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)) is paid as follows:		
		Enclosed is a check in the sum of \$130.00.		
	$\boxtimes$	Charge Account 500417 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this petition is		
		attached.		

Respectfully submitted,

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